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Applicant: Charles Thivolet : Paper No.:
Serial No.: 10/050298 : Group Art Unit: 1646
Filing Date: January 16, 2002 : Examiner:

For: **Use of IGF-I or Analogues Thereof in the Prevention of Diabetes.**

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted dated February 15, 2002, Applicant requests amendment of the present application to include the following Abstract:

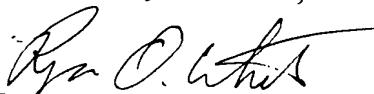
REMARKS

The Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted indicated that an Abstract of the technical disclosure was required under 37 C.F.R. 1.72(b). As an Abstract of the disclosure is submitted herewith, it is believed that this represents a complete response to the Notice. Please charge any additional fees required in connection with the present Response, and credit any excess in fees paid, to Deposit Account No. 04-1133.

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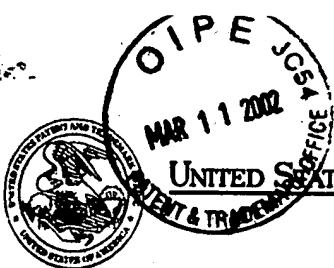
Examination on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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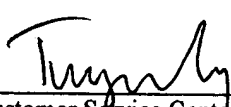
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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Abstract must be on a separate sheet.

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